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In re the Patent Application of :

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For : **PERIPHERAL DEVICE INTERFACE  
CHIP CACHE AND DATA  
SYNCHRONIZATION METHOD**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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In response to an Office Action having a mailing date of Sep. 20, 2002, Applicants respectfully request the Office Action to consider the following remarks.

**REMARKS****Present Status of the Application**

In response to the above-identified Office Action, Applicants seek reconsideration of the application. No claims have been canceled, no claims have been added and no claims have been amended. Accordingly, Claims 1-16 are pending.

In the Office Action, the Office Action has rejected Claims 1, 2, 4-6 under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) as being anticipated by Ziegler et al US Patent 6,182,176 ("Ziegler").

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